



Docket No. 1046.1211

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Taaki NAGAE

Serial No. 09/522,686

Group Art Unit: 2176

Confirmation No. 5906

Filed: March 10, 2000

Examiner: Nathan Hillery

For: ELECTRIC MAIL APPARATUS

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the final Office Action mailed February 26, 2004, having a shortened period for response set to expire on May 26, 2004. A petition and fee for a two-month Extension of Time is enclosed, thereby extending the response period to July 26, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

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